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EARN INDIANA

Indiana's Work-Study Program

EARN Indiana (Employer Aid Readiness Network) is the state's work-study program. Students with financial need have access to resume-building, experiential, paid internships, while employers receive state matching funds—50% of the student's hourly rate—for hiring these students. **EARN** Indiana has partnered with **Indiana INTERNnet** to better match students and employers, and to assist employers in finding the perfect fit for their team.

Why **EARN** Indiana Internships are Good for Students

Getting hired as an **EARN** Indiana intern gives students an opportunity to:

- Apply academic coursework to the professional world
- Examine and verify career interests and uncover talents
- Develop responsibility, transferable skills and a professional network
- Stretch financial aid, since **EARN** Indiana internships are not calculated into a student's award package
- Earn college credit and fulfill degree requirements for select internships

Student Eligibility Requirements

To be eligible for an **EARN** internship, a student must:

- Be an Indiana resident
- Be enrolled full-time at an eligible Indiana college or university
- Not have a bachelor's degree prior to the term the student plans to work
- Have an expected family contribution (as determined by the FAFSA) of \$7,500 or less

HOW TO APPLY?

1. File your Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)

If you haven't done so already, file your FAFSA for the current academic year by going to fafsa.ed.gov.

2. Create an Account and Complete the **EARN** Indiana Eligibility Form

Go to IndianaINTERN.net to create a student account and complete a profile. Click on the **EARN** Indiana banner at the top of your Student Workspace and complete the short form to see if you are eligible.

3. Search for Internships

Use the Quick Search to find internships by keywords or the Advanced Search to narrow your options by industry, location and position type. Make sure you select "yes" under "**EARN** Indiana Participant" to narrow your search to **EARN** Indiana internships only.

4. Apply!

Read through the internship postings to find the positions that are the best fit for you! Remember, **EARN** Indiana internships are not just about making money, but gaining valuable experience, making connections, and examining your passions and career interests.

EARN Indiana Internships are processed in 3 waves: Summer (May 1 - August 15), Semester 1 (August 16 - December 31), and Semester II (January 1 - April 30), but students may apply any time.

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